

For Sheffield Residential Households

1st Sunday of Every Month: 8:30am – 2pm

MATTRESS RECYCLING*

SPECIAL TRANSFER STATION COUPON REQUIRED

With your annual Transfer Station sticker, each subscribing household receives 3 Special Transfer Station coupons, to be used to recycle mattress(es) or a load (up to pickup truck size) of bulky waste. These coupons are priced into your sticker fees.

Additional Special Transfer Station coupons may be purchased for \$20 *each*, either by mail (send a stamped self-addressed envelope, including your license plate number to the Town Administrator's Office, 21 Depot Square, Sheffield, MA 01257) or through Online payments:

<https://www.sheffieldma.gov/home/pages/online-services>

DID YOU KNOW...up to 95% of mattress components can be recycled – steel, fabric, foam & wood

<u>Component</u>	<u>End Use</u>
Box Springs & Steel Inner-Springs (48%)	Can be recycled and made into new steel
Mattress Foam (28%)	May be ground up, mixed with binders, & formed into carpet padding/cushions
Fabrics & Fibers (14%)	Fibers found in mattresses can be recycled into industrial filters or padding.
Box Spring Foundation Wood (5%)	Wood may be chipped & used as animal bedding, mulch, or biomass fuel.

MATTRESSES ACCEPTED:

Traditional mattresses, mattress & box springs; full foam mattresses; discolored or worn mattresses that are not wet; twin, double, queen, king, CA king and crib sized. 1 coupon needed per mattress, so boxed mattress set requires 2 coupons.

MATTRESSES NOT ACCEPTED:

Torn, punctured, soiled, moldy, twisted or crushed, wet or frozen, or beg bug or mice infested mattresses. NO futons or fold-out sofa beds; NO mattress pads or toppers; NO infant sleeping pads; and NO air or water beds. *These unaccepted mattresses may be put in the Bulky Waste container for 2 Special Transfer Station Coupons per mattress and are not considered part of a Bulky Waste load. These extra coupons are required as the hauler charges the Transfer Station extra for these items.*

For more information, please contact the Sheffield Town Hall (229-7000, Ext. 157)

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